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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : A METHOD FOR ANALYSIS OF  
David Smith and Roger Smith : BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS  
Serial No: 09/744,291 : Group Art Unit: 1631  
Filed: April 4, 2001 : Examiner: Mary K. Zeman

**REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL OF APPEAL, AND  
CANCELLATION OF REJECTED CLAIMS ON APPEAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please dismiss the appeal of rejected claims 1 - 4, 6 and 23 - 27 of the application, and cancel those claims from the application.

**REMARKS**

Wherein it is requested above that the appeal of claims 1- 4, 6 and 23 - 27 of the application. be dismissed, and that those claims be canceled from the application, only allowed claims 8 - 13, 15 - 20 and 22 remain in the application, as set forth in the attached **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**.

Thus, an early allowance of this application with claims 8 - 13, 15 - 20 and 22 is requested.

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